

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 SOFIA 01786 291530Z
ACTION EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 CIAE-00 INR-10 NSAE-00 PA-02 SS-15
NSC-05 SY-05 HA-05 /055 W
-----004778 300745Z /14
R 291350Z AUG 78
FM AMEMBASSY SOFIA
TO USIA WASHDC
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 5157

UNCLAS SOFIA 1786

USIAC

FOR VOA/PE, PGM/PPE, EU

E.O. 11652: N/A

SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF BULGARIAN PATRIARCH TO U.S.

REF: STATE 197429-C

1. POST REQUESTS VOA AND PHOTO COVERAGE OF VISIT TO U.S. SEPTEMBER 1 TO OCTOBER 5 OF PATRIARCH MAXIM OF BULGARIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH. PATRIARCH MAXIM WILL VISIT AT LEAST TEN CONGREGATIONS DURING 40 DAY VISIT TO U.S. AND CANADA, AND WILL DEDICATE NEW CHURCHES IN AKRON AND LORRAINE, OHIO.
 2. BELIEVE EXACT ITINERARY AVAILABLE STATE EUR/EE WHICH HAS COORDINATED ASPECTS OF TRIP.
 3. VOA BULGARIAN SERVICE MAY WISH TO INCLUDE PATRIARCH'S TRAVELS IN NEWSCAST AND LOOK FOR OPPORTUNITY TO INTERVIEW HIM TOWARD END OF VISIT. REQUEST COPIES OF SCRIPTS VIA OFFICIAL AIR.
 4. BLACK AND WHITE PHOTO COVERAGE REQUESTED OF ONE EVENT, UNCLASSIFIED
- UNCLASSIFIED
- PAGE 02 SOFIA 01786 291530Z
- PERHAPS DEDICATION OF AKRON CHURCH. NEED TO HAVE TWO TO THREE PHOTOS SHOWING PATRIARCH IN AMERICAN SETTING FOR USE IN EMBASSY NEWS WINDOW AND IN POST MAGAZINE. "SPEKTUR". REQUEST FORWARD CONTACT SHEEY AND NEGATIVES TO POST VIA OFFICIAL AIR; WILL ENLARGE HERE.
5. ID 32BU78-0061 IPS ASSIGNED FOR PHOTO STRINGER XEE.

ADVISE EXACT COST.
CARLSON

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 jan 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: RELIGIOUS LEADERS, VISITS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 29 aug 1978
Decaption Date: 01 jan 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 jan 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1978SOFIA01786
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D780353-1111
Format: TEL
From: SOFIA
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1978/newtext/t19780812/aaaaaket.tel
Line Count: 64
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: 2ccff759-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ACTION EUR
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 78 STATE 197429
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 29 mar 2005
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: N/A
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 1587353
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: TRAVEL OF BULGARIAN PATRIARCH TO U.S.
TAGS: OVIP, BU
To: USIA
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odb://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/2ccff759-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Sheryl P. Walter
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
20 Mar 2014
Markings: Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014